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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Application of : **BOTTOM-DASKAL et al.**

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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

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Sir:

In response to an Official Action dated June 14, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits the following remarks.

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